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Friday, June 30th-Meeting of members named in Orders of June 27th and 28th concerning proposed Cyclist Patrols. Staff Inspector Clarke will attend.

NO. 4 COMPANY. "The whole of No. 4 Company, except Sections 13 and 14, will parade at Cen-tral at 5.30 p.m. on Monday and Wednes-day, July 3rd and 5th. The C.S.M. will

NO. 2 PLATGON. The members of No. 2 Platoun will be exempt from all Company Drills and all-First Shift Patrol Duties during the the month of July. They will attend all Emergency Calls. Also all Combined Parades, unless specially exempted in

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shoulders have a rather square look, not every part of the report which Mr. C. J. accentuated. The straight line from the bunched-up look of the full-basqued coat | months is :previous twelve months I few good dressmakers have kept their love of line, but many seem to have lost

shoulder to the edge of the skirt, which is short, is refreshing after the funny with its high waist and very full, short skirt. We might plend for the unwaisted cont generally with the short skirt, for otherwise the line, which is the secret of graceful elothes, is bound to be lost. it. Some women look like huge bunches of cloth with a faint indication of waist somewhere between the under arm and the hip. But the next little basqued bolero does away with superfluous full pess, leaves the practical comfort of the

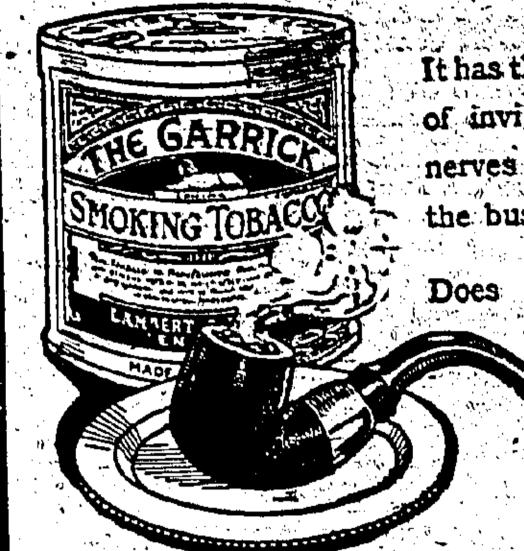
grey together, or dark blue and grey together are among the most distinguished looking shades for tailormades. A black cloth costume trimmed with steel buttons and a touch of grey cloth used much as chinchilla was used in the winter looks very well, and a dark blue coat lined with grey and turned back | Stewart's care during the year is an with the same at the neck and wrists estate of the value of £1,052,000. The looks well tou. The mole colour and smallest was lis. But that was aliens Italian grey seem best left as they estate, which also included unascertainare or else just touched with black actual estate administered was one of Any effort to look picturesque in these 234 198. 8d. days is doomed to failure. To be The Public Trustee is also the custoto avoid extravagance in colour or line Wales. He now holds nearly £8,000,000 is the intelligent woman's aim.

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clothes that the women were wearing there were women in the deepest mourning and women in half mourning there were women in full summer attire and others in warm furs. One or two were girded in leather-bound garments, and most showed a desire to compromise by wearing cloth tailor-mades and blouses of "so fine a distriction" in lawn and lace that summer and the delights of spring breathed in every ruffie and fold.

TAILOR-MADES AND COLOUR.

Quite the most becoming tailor-made the hour is one in a soft mole-coloured cloth, which has short coat of the bolero type; pleats | make the skirt hang well, and pleats, pressed very flat, make the back of the bolero hang to fection. The sleeves are set in, and the short, full skirt intact, and ensures the

graceful line of the figure. Mole colour grey like that of the Young trustees who are now fighting uniform of the Italian officers, black and have also taken advantage of the services

of the material descript agree with any the part of sale larger are also

veiling needs very pale shades and embroidery; silk jersey looks well in white or grey with a trimming of fur, and in a deep claret colour it is charming. MI SUBISH Frills in anything but silk and lingeric are not successful; they make for extravagance, as they need much care and

To have clothes, that look well and are not to be thought about again until they are taken off is what every woman likes. It is irritating to have to "settle your flounces" nowadays, and the occasional women in semi-crinolines look embarrassed when they sit down. Tout s'arrange should apply to the fall of the skirt to day, and it generally does if a woman troubles to think about her dress from all points of view-an intelligent and satisfactory form of economy.

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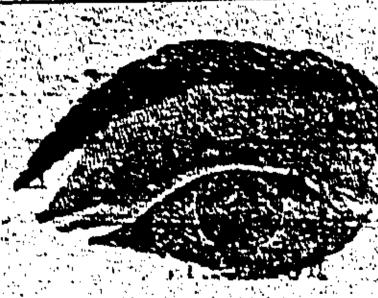
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THE IRISH REVOLT.

WHY THE VOLUNTEERS WERE NOT DISABMED.

Confronting the three eminent Royal Commissioners, Lord Hardingo Penshurst, Mr. Justice Shearman, and Sir Mackenzie Chalmers, appointed inquire into the measure of responsibility. which Dublin Castle must endure for the Irish rebellion, Sir Matthew Nathan, the ex-Under Secretary to the Lieutenant, related the history as knows it of the events which culminated die sway owing to recruiting for the Army

There were reservations, of course. He not tell all he knew in the pub hearing; something was retained for the private car of the Commissioners, But enough was disclosed to make the relation one of the most dramatic which has ever been put before a judicial body.

Sir Matthew said over and over again. in his detailed statement and benevolent 'cross-examination by Commissioners; the outstanding fact the rising was that the civilians Treland had been allowed to drill armed men long before the war. Once that principle was admitted how were you Ulster. " going to interfere? How to distinguish between the loyalists' and disloyalists? The dividing line was a very hazy one, and the one thing certain was that if you handed in a report of it. disarmed the men who were suspected to be robels you would inevitably bring over to their side a large number of Irishmen whose loyalty was perhaps swaying the balance. Disarming meant inevitable accustomed to all sorts of operations in bloodshed; leaving them alone there was a hope that the whole thing might "blow

Even when the Trish Volunteers began to train women for ambulance work, even when, one day in October last year, their field manguvres included a sham attack on Dublin Castle, they were not taken seriously. "They were accustomed to these things in Ireland," remarked Sir

Yes another "Who's Who!" and this Matthew, somewhat sadly. time from Japan ! The reader is apt at Not until three days before the actual first to regard it as a curiosity, as a sign rising, it appears, did Dublin Castle that the East has now become Western become aware of the connection between practically almost to the last detail. But the rebels and the German conspirators. Who's Who In Japan' is far more than Then they took action. There were a curiosity; it is a very sound and useful! councils at the Castle. It was decided arrest the leaders and to send them ingland, to clear out that nest of sedition, life? Liberty Hall, to disarm the rank and file of the Sinn Feiners. The deliberations WHO'S WHO IN JAPAN PUBLISHING OFFICE were not concluded when shots were heard "off "-and a mortally wounded

Costle gates. WHAT IS MEANT BY SUNN FEIN

In the course of his evidence Sir Matthew explained that the Sina Fein movement was started in 1905, giving as its aims and objects national self-development"on the lines successfully adopted by the Hungarians in their struggle with Austria by a policy of Sinn Fein, " ourselves alone."

Sir Mackenzie Chalmers: What was the that it would result in nothing? number of Sinn Feiners in Government service receiving public pay?—That would be very difficult to get at.

three thousand in the Irish Civil Service. SHAM ATTACK ON CASTLE.

MR. BIRRELL'S KNOWLEDGE OF OCCURRENCES

Answering questions, Sir Matthew sai the strength of the Constabulary was 9,802 on March 81 last. There had been considerable decrease due to enlistmente and vacancies were not filled because the general state of Ireland was peacefur, and it was not desirable to compete with the military authorities in getting men. Mr. Justice Shearman questioned Six

Matthew with reference to the receipt of the reports from Ireland and elicited the he dealt with them on his own initiative. Important matters were at once com-Ctal municated to the Chief Secretary.

Witness said that on August 5, 191/ .50 the restriction on the importation of arms then, was removed. Mr. Justice Shearman: Why?-I don'

At the time you went to Ireland there was nothing to prevent Trishmen from carrying arms?-No.

Was any license duty to be paid?-Yes, but it was not enforced. The Chairman : Why not? It enforced in England. Witness was understood to reply that as the arms were obviously carried for

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illegal purposes it was looked upon as REGISTRATION OF BRITISH triffing to sak for license duty.

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"Mr., Justico, Shearman: Is: there any statute to prevent armed drilling lion illegal purposes?—There is a statute against illegal assembly.

There is a statute of 1810 which prevents armed persons drilling together whatever their object without permission of the authorities. You have no experience of that statute being enforced?-No.

DETERBED FOR POLITICAL BEASONS. So there was nothing to enable you to arrest people drilling with armed weapons unless you could prove they were there for a seditious purpose? There was nothing to prevent loyal or disloyal

citizens assembling to any number?-We

were deterred for political reasons. Sir Matthew said he understood that the Irish Volunteers were started by the Sinn Fein organisers. Then Mr. Redmond got control of the Volunteers, but the National Volunteer movement began to

and for other reasons. Mr. Justice Shoarman asked if the drilling of young men and the training of young women to give first aid, which witness had described in his report, did not obviously point to a war, in Ireland.

Sir Matthew did not reply. Mr. Justice Shearman: From the fact that sham attacks on Dublin Castle were being conducted, was it not obvious they would seize the Castle if they could? . I think it was agreed that if there was

a rebellion they would try to do so. Did not the information bring it home that they were prepared to fight on Irish soil against the supporters of England if they got the opportunity?-Originally the movement was undoubtedly an answer to

He added that the Chief Secretary was fully aware of what was going on. Witness said the sham attack on Dublin-

Castle took place on October 6, 1915. He The Chairman: Didn't it seem rather extraordinary that these people should be permitted to make an attack on Dublin Castle and that nothing was done to prevent it?-Of course, we

Didn't it strike you as coming rather. nearer home than the usual military

Witness said he thought it was

Don't you think it more than undesirable ?-I didn't think it would precede a real attack unless under the circumstances of an enemy landing. You did not regard this sham attack as dress rehearsal?-No.

.Was the fact that no notice was taken of this in accordance with the general line of policy laid down by those responsible?—Generally.

And that a free hand was to be given to any of the Irish Volunteers to behave as they liked, provided they did not go actually to extremities, such as taking

LEAVING MATTERS ALONE.

been some bloodshed, and if you let itblow over it might blow over without any bloodshed at all." I hope I am not wronging you in saying that was the policy pursued.

Witness agreed. chosen was to leave it alone in the hope

action against these Volunteers on the Great Britain's protection at once? I am How many did you get rid of?-Eight would have resulted in the alienation of the great bulk of the Irish people, which Witness added that there were two or was not in favour of these people. SIR MATTHEW " A GOOD DEAL

"IN SOLE CHARGE."

Witness gave details of the Dublin Castle steff, which was mostly composed of Irishmen. He had loyal and efficient support from them.

Sir Mackonzio Chalmers: Necessarily you are left a good deal in sole charge at Dublin Castle, I suppose ?- If Parliament is sitting and Mr. Birrell/is there. The last occasion Mr. Birrell was Ireland was in February, when he was there about ten days or a fortnight." H was coming over at the Easter Vacation on various matters which had be

Witness added that when the Chie Secretary was not in Ireland the Lord Lieutenant or the Privy Council did not liavo extra powers. The business of the Privy Council was formal.

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> In answering his Worship Mr. Gorrio said he pleaded guilty: The second defendant said that before she could answer the charge, the summons must be corrected. "Her maiden name was Molloy, but her present name was

Mr. Whitamore, Vice Consul, said the defendants were British subjects. They had been round to the Consulate, but not to register themselves as British subjects, and they had not done so this year.

His Worship-Have they been re quested to register? Witness-I believe so. I was told so, out I was not there myself when they

were requested to register. Replying to the Court, the first defendant said he had been here over 18 months and was now about to leave the country. Sin Everard Fraser asked

him to register about 18 months ago. His Worship-Well, why did you not register ?-I have conscientious reasons.

for not registering. His' Worship-What are they?-The chief reason is that as a Christian worker in a foreign country" I cannot conscientiously claim the protection of the British Government or any special privileges, and by registering myself I should establish a claim to those

Defendant said he did not know the law of China but he had heard of extraterritoriality.

His Worship And you realize what extra-territoriality means 2—I think I can elaim the extra privileges.

His Worship-Of what? English law?—Yen. His Worship-You understand you can claim that, and part of the law of England in China is to register. Do you then claim that you want the privileges but none of the obligations?-No sir.

His Worship-That is what it amounts

Defendant-I do not think so-

His Worship-You would put in a claim quick enough if yourget into trouble, would you not?-No. I would not! His Worship-I think you would, in

fact I am quite certain you would. You understand that British subjects who come to China are here because the British Government has a Treaty with China by which the Chinese Government is not entitled to exercise jurisdiction over British subjects. Do you understand

His Worship Very well, that being so it is obvious that British subjects in China must obey the laws of England and any objection that you raise to Witness hesitated a little about a reply, registering because you are a religious. and Mr. Justice Shearman interposed with worker seems to my mind to have no policeman staggered to the shelter of the the remark :-- He says he decided that sense in it at all; because if you got into unless there was an actual outbreak they trouble here you would be the first person would not interfere. If you disarm to cry out for the protection of the publicly these people there must have English law. That is quite certain, is it

Defendant-I am not claiming that I

would cry out at all. His Worship-Let me give you a case. | 4ch as: Supposing you assaulted somebody and British law aid not regard it as serious; -Mr. Justice Shearman: The policy and supposing according to Chinese law it was regarded as serious and the Uninese authorities were going to deal with you: Witness: Also in the belief that the don't you think you would cry out for ground that they had been manceuvring certain you would. You think that over Work it out. Think what extraterritoriality means to you, and then tell' me you don't want to have the privileges

of English law. Defendant-I am here to pay whatever penalty the English law exacts.

His Worship-That I quite understand. Further questioned by the Court defendant said he intended leaving shortly for Australia:

Mr. Whitemore asid the defendants vent to the Consulate and asked to have their marriage registered. They had not been married at the Consulate, and witness told them he could do nothing for them. The second defendant told him Sir Everard Fraser had promised her that the marriage could, be registered. witness said he thought she must have misunderstood the Consul-General because it was an extraordinarily irregular thing. Answeding the Magistrate, the second defendant, said she was now Mrs. Gorrie.

His Worship - Where were married ?-I am not here to answer questions about my marriage but about registration, and according to the law it is my husband's business to register me. Deal with my husband please, because I refuse to be dealt with. His Worship-Pardon me, don't adopt

that attitude because I have got power to deal with you. When did your name change to Corrie?-The day we were I married. I am not here to answer questione about my inversign: it is a question d registration. Mr. Gorrie confirms that I am his wife and answers for me as a married woman. is not for the Court to say whether out marriage is legal or not legal. His Workin If your marriage illegal you might call yourself Corrie but your real name would her Molley All I ask is where the marriage took place 7-At 16, Fearon Road, Shangkiai.

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ways?-I am not going to enswer this Kabafuto (Saghahen). miss you give me time to make my Mr. Whitamore-If Mrs. Gorie is quite convinced she is Mrs! Gorris why Was it necessary to go to the Consulate to have the mar. lage registered? His Worship-It seems to me the whole

only other marriage recognized is marriage

before a clerk in Holy Orders Did your

marriage take place in either of those

thing is a quibble. I don't want witnesses. Zell me now your marringe was place and them I shall know wholder t was a local matriage. His Worship Adeclined to sub-poeus witnesses, and proceeded to sale the second de endant Dout you think you

Gorrie, that your defence is an absord one. You refuse to show me which your into the question of your marriage? I mame is. You have both got to remister st once, and if the Consulate decides to proceed further sgainst you for monregistration I shall then have to compider the question of going to gool. The fines were paid.

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writes:-The British residents in China pro-bably serve their own interests or their country's no less than any other nationality. But, before the memory of such. Opium War gradually fades, and the material benefit and moral example of Osaka, Kagoshima and Chemulpo. English rule there: American exclusion of Chinese labour and humiliation of Chinese travellers and gentlemen have been more than made good by philan-thropic education of Chinese students in the U.S. universities and colleges, philanthropic investment of American money in China, and by practical demonstration of the Washington Government's freedom from any territorial ambition. Have the Japanese teachers and businessmen in China been convincing her people that, in private morals and motives, as well as in national efficiency, their island neighbours are worthy of respect? Have the tens of thousands of young men and women, who studied in Japanese schools, carried favourable impressions of us back to their homes?

Honokong, Wannesday, June 28, 1916. These are questions, of course which it would be well for the Japanese people to ponder over, but we think most people will agree that the real explanation of the THE task of reconciling North and attitude of suspicion and hostility on South in China is a delicate one. the part of the Chinese, of which and, judging from to-day's telegrams, the Japanese complain, must be the situation does not appear to have sought in the history of Japanese taken on a very satisfactory comdiplomacy in China. plexion. There seems hawever no

NEWS OF THE DAY.

ances in China. The late President's Not a single telegram from London supporters have shown good sense in had come through to-day up to the hour recognising the supremacy of the of going to press.

Southern party; and on the other hand In the Straits Settlements the Southerners have shown the good \$19,190.73 had been raised for the sense to refrain from adopting such "Star and Garter" Building Fund, to appeared in the papers during the past ated and retored Fongchow and other an attitude of vindictiveness as June 20th.

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> The annual meeting of the Hongkong Football Association which was to have been held last evening has been postponed owing to a poor attendance of Club representatives.

The Bulgownie Rubber Co., has declared a final dividend of 30 per cent making 70 per cent for the year The following interim dividends by rubber companies are announced Singapore Pura 10 per cent; Sendayan per cent.; Damansara, 12½ per cent Federated-Selangor a pays final assistance will or will not be required:

in China, Japan is now most unlikely to support one party against again, as often happens in this Colony, and six months on the second. another. Our own reading of the two important events are fixed to be situation accords with this view. held at the same time on the same day. Japanese statesmen are constantly To-night an eminent conjuror will give seeking to make plain their desire to lan entertainment at the Hongkong do nothing to arouse antagonism Club, while the Police Reserve are in "China. The "Government has giving a concert in the Victoria Theatre. repeatedly disavowed any intention Surely, a little forethought would have of imprisonment imposed upon him in to exploit China in the midst of her prevented this clashing or overlapping, Shanghai. political difficulties by demanding and larger audiences would have been ! concessions, or taking any "other assured for both parties.

> There was a highly enjoyable smoker" last evening at the Navel Yard Police Mess, in connection with the departure of Mr. A. McKay. The programme had been acranged by Mr. H Lindfield. Inspector Churcher, during a break in the programme, presented

precautionary measure palpably called for by the uncertainty of the contributed to the evenings enjoyment years' imprisonment with hard labour. political situation. Not only has the declared to be the promotion of the Sergt, Loder, R.A.M.C. (piano select pneumonial mutual interests of Japan and China, tions), Messrs. White and Thorne The Yomiurs takes exception to the (instrumental items), Corpl. White, necordingly. wording of the declaration : it says R.E. (violin), Mr. Dunn (recitations); every nation's diplomatic policy has Mesers. Huxley and Perrin (impersons in view the promotion of its own tions), and Messrs. Cawsey and England

ECONOMY IN THE END.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The theft occurred at a godown at of a number of hemp bags, valued

salt without a permit. His Worship yesterday. ordered the salt to be confiscated.

cently bought a discarded gunboat of a formal Cabinet. benefactors as General Gordon and Sir named the Akoje and converted her Robert Hart, even the iniquity of the into a merchant-man. She is a ship of name of Hongkong is blessed for the 600 tons and is now running between

Saturday, the 1st July being General Holiday, the Post Office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m. There will be one delivery of ordinary correspondence and one collection of letters from the Pillar Boxes. The Money Order office. will be entirely closed. . .

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

regret the death of Mr. A. J. McGlew who had been identified with Kobe for transfer him to another province. the past twenty-five years.

Lady Jordan has been decorated by the Dowager-Empress of Russia with the order of the Russian Red Cross in recognition of the services rendered by her in particular and by the British communities in Peking and Tientsin in connexion with charitable work for the Red Cross.

Many in Hongkong will be pleased to see the name of Colonel F. W Gordon-Hall, R.A.M.C., in the latest list of honours confered on army officers. Colonel Gordon-Hall has been given the C. B. He succeeded Colonel Irwin as the Principal Military Medial Officer in Hongkong, and some months after the outbreak of the war was called Home for service in a wider field. From numerous letters which have twelve months acknowledging shipments herens to Hunan. of articles sent by the ladies of Hongo kong for use in the military hospitals under his care, readers are familiar with the fact that Colonel Gordon-Hall is at present serving in Egypt.

A COOL THIEF.

At the Magistracy this afternoon Mr. R. Wood dealt smartly with thief who stole from a woman bangle, and attempted to steal another 1 at Yaumati. The complainant said defendant had slept in her bed on three successive nights and on the third morning when she awoke she found him trying to cut away a bangle. Another bangle had disappeared. She gave the 10 per cent.; Pegoh, 10 alarm and defendant was arrested. pair of nippers and a bottle of chloroform were found among his possessions.

Defendant was sentenced to twelve months' hard labour, 24 strokes and A correspondent points out that, four hours' stocks, on the first charge,

DIED IN GAOL.

The death occurred this morning at the Victoria Gaol of a man anaded Abhass who was undergoing a term

An enquiry into the cause of death was conducted by Mr. J. R. Wood, Coroner, and a jury empanelled as under :-- Messrs T. Meck (foreman) An B. Silva Netto and A. W. Heron.

Chief Warder Pierpont gave evidence stating that the deceased, Oswald Abbas was 29 years of age and was admitted to the gaol on March 26th having been Mr. McKay with a handsome silver committed in Shanghai on January 7th, Kwangtung, the Government conflower holder stand and two silver minin- 1916, for an offence under the Defence template appointing Tsen Chun Huen tures of a Chinese chair. Those who of the Realm Act and sentenced to two Generalissimo of the Southern Re-

Japanese Government disavowed any Cawsey, J. England, Tindall, Duguid, was admitted to the gaol hospital in to Tsen Chun Huen asking if he is will aggressive intention in China, but Ackay, W. Bearne, F. W. Wright, May and ten days afterwards he gave ing to accept the appointment. the party leaders have fecently Brooks, Smith, Nicol, and Linfield, every indication of recovery, Compublished a memorandum in which Corpl Rogers, R.E. and Corpl Huxley, plications developed which left no hope their "fixed policy" in China is RE (songs), Mr. H. B. Arnold and land the died this morning from Tang Shao Yi and other leaders have

Hosps as well as pegs were formerly fixed to drinking vessels as a rough means of measuring each man's share of drink As Nash in his "Pierce Penniless discrees, "I believe hoops in quart pots were invented that every mun should take his hoop and no more." established for Japan's interest and amount to keep at the same time that the interests of the two countries are so alike in the Diarrhyaz Kemedy always in your mediant that the faithful pursuance of the countries and countries and the countries and the countries are so alike in the Diarrhyaz Kemedy always in your mediant that the faithful pursuance of the countries and countries are so alike in the countries. The countries are so alike in the countries. The countries are so alike in the countries are so alike in the countries are so alike in the countries. The countries are so alike in the countries are so alike

CHINESE AFFAIRS.

"Wah Tan Yut Po's Service.)

CHINESE NAVY DECLARES INDEPENDENCE.

Shanghar, June 20. "The Haichi, Haiyung, Haichow, Manila. Maisum and fifteen other warships, Two Chiuese were fined \$15 each comprising practically the whole of discharging eargo. The extent of the by Mr. G. N. Orme this morning for the Chinese Navy, led-by Admiral Li attempting to export 150 catties of Ting Sun, declared its independence

the old Constitution, the convocation

Until all these things are accomplished all diders from the Ministry of the Navy will be ignored.

THE REMOVAL OF LUNG CHAI KWONG DEMANDED.

- SHANGHAI, June 26. Tang Shao Yi, Liang Chi Chao, Voug Chun Yiu and Wong Chun Wai have telegraphed to Peking asking the President to recall the mandate appointing Lung Ch Kwong as Changchun (General) and Kobe papers announce with deep Governor of Canton, and to remove him from office immediately,

SUPERFLUOUS TROOPS.

PERING, June 26. Choy Ngok, the General in Yunsaying that the disbandment auperfluous troops is a measure paramount importance for the consolidation of the country.

of his health he would retire.

KWEICHOW TROOPS EVACUATE HUNAN.

Peking, June 26. The Kweichow troops who have been in western Human have avacu-

THE CONSTITUTION PROBLEM.

SHANGHAL June 27. The Prime Minister on the 23rd inst telegraphed to the members of Parliament assembled at Shanghai questioning | many millions that have been so Constitution by mandate.

Replying to the Premier, the M.P.'s telegraphed that the old Constitution the folds of the British flag done was the Constitution which birth to the Parliament and President, and is therefore supreme law of the country, according happy and peaceful community, who to which no amendments could be made call yourself . Haik and your country if passed by less than three-fourths of the votes of members in session, the members present at such session comprising not less than four-fifths ef all the members. As the new Con- Empire oblivious and callous to what stitution was made by Yuan Shih Kai, is taking place in your own fair and not in accordance with the above procedure, this Constitution is illegal and the old Constitution is still valid as a matter of course. So that all the Government, has to do is to issue a mandate cancelling the new Constitu tion. Thus, it is not a question of modifying the law by mandate.

telegrams to the Premier in the above

TO SAYE THE SITUATION IN EWANGTUNG.

PEKING, June 27.

In order to save the situation in publican Forces) as General in command Medical evidence showed the deceased at Canton, and has already, telegraphed

WONG HING.

telegraphed to Wong Hing asking him to return to China. He has replied that he will start soon.

REQUEST TO THE PRESIDENT TO ABDICATE.

The funious scholar Yill Shun Ting has requested President Li Yunn Hung | should watch for any unnetural looseness of the child's boweld. When

STEAMER ASHORE IN CHINA SEA.

PROBABLY HAVE TO REPAIR IN HONGKONG. The a.s. Fernando Poo, one of the

big Spanish Mail steamers, is ashore at a point about 50 to 60 miles from

The vessel is bard and fast and is damage is not yet known.

It is probable that the vessel wi have to be brought to Hongkong for The Navy demands the revival of repairs when she is refloated, as she is about 4,000 tons gross register, 350 A Japanese shipping company re- of Parliament, and the organisation feet long, 45 feet beam and has a depth of 25 feet.

> The Fernando Poo is registered at Barcelona.

CORRESPONDENCE.

ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL"

SIR,-No. one with a spark of human feeling, even if their attention was not particularly drawn to the fact before the war, can have failed since hostilities broke out to have observed from the many reports of eye-witnesses the awful, bloodthirsty and atrocious murders and wholesale nuissacres of those poor unfortunate Armenians who have fallen victims to the rage of the Turkish soldiers. Old men and young men have been slain in cold blood with unheard of savagery, women and girls have been atrociously has telegraphed to Peking violated, outraged and mutilated to gratify the lust and passion of these of Turkish devils. Little boys, girls: and babies from their mothers breasts have been torn asunder and their little, trembling, quivering and He added that upon the recovery innocent bodies hoisted aloft on the tops of the Turkish spears. And those Armenians who happen at the moment to be alive and who so far have escaped from these bloody mussacres are suffering the most awful and terrible privations. No food, no money, no place to lay their weary heads, little children toddling along by their mothers' sides crying aloud for that crust of bread and drink of water which never comes. And this is still going on, these unfortunate and forgotten

their enemies. Now, is anything being done to to relieve this awful distress and misery? Has any portion of the the legality of reviving the old graciously given been applied for their benefit? Have the many thousands of their own countrymen who are living in ease and comfort under anything for their relief and assistthe ance? Have they forgotten their country and their race? O Armenians who are living in this Hainsdan, tracing your descent from Haik the grandson of Japahet whose dynasty was overthrown by Alexander of Macedon; are ye doing nothing Are you still living in the British country? And you Armenians living panies being general in the jewellery in the Straits Settlements, does not trade.

people are still at the mercy of these

savage Turkish hordes. And they

continue wandering over Armenian

soil mercifully praying that they

the languishing cry of the women and children from this distant Asiatio clime reach your hears? Have you no purses you can open so as thorough search was made, and, as a to give a little relief or are you deaf to the cries of human suffering? Now has really anything been done

or attempted in this matter? Has Wu Ting Fang, Tang Shao Yi and the question been taken up by any Linng Chi Chao also sent lengthy of the members of the Armenian community who are earning large incomes and accumulating huge fortunes in this Colony? This distress calls for instant and spontaneous relief.

There may perhaps have already been some silent givers, but this is not enough. It should come from the Armenian community as a whole. Yours, etc.,

CLOSING SHARE QUOTATIONS

Banks 755 . 88

Unions 110 b Sugars 119 sq Indos Def. 127 b

BOWEL COMPLAINT-IN CHILDREN. TOURING the summer months mothers

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

THE NURSING STAFF OF THE HOSPITAL.

A meeting of the Council takes place

Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollock, K.C. has given notice of his intention to ask the following questions:--

1. How many Sisters are there now on the Nursing Staff at the Government Civil Hospital! What is the number of Sisters on such Staff borne on the Estimates for 1916?

2. What steps are the Government taking to remedy the deficiency in numbers in such Staff of Sisters, and when will such steps result in such deficiency being remedied ?..

The other business on the agenda, consists mainly of second readings of the Bills introduced last week

GYMKHANA TRAINING TIMES.

Entries for the next Gymkhana on July Sth close this evening, consequently the gallops done this morning are of some interess. King Jack put up the best performance over the "Stakes" distance, though Matabele did the best

Social Schemer, boy, and Bindwood, o boy, 4 mile, 35, 1.07.8, 1.43. last ;

Maxonr, boy, 1 mile, 87.8, 1.13.3, 1.49.3, , 2.22; last 1 32.3. BLEFFER, Barton, 2 mile, "05, 1.00.2,

1.44.2; last 1 33. MATABLE, boy, 1 mile, 36.3, L.11.2, 1.44, 2.17; last 1 33.

MATCHBOX, Sedgwick, I mile 89, 1.16, 1,52, 2,29; last 1/37. King Jack, Knoll, 1 mile, 37, 1.12.2,

1.47.2, 2.19.2; last 4 32. Electricater, Sethand mile, 37, 1.13.3, 1.49; last \ 35.2. Dunkeld, Seth, 1 mile, 36, 1.12, 1.48;

- last 👌 35. Provonverto, Seth, 1 mile, 88.4, 1.13. . 1.47.1: last 1 83.1. Sunsume, boy, I - mile, - and IN- OFF. Sedgwick, 1 mile, 39.3, 1.15.4, 1.40.4.

2.25 : last 1 35.1.

1.05.4; last. 32.4-

TUESDAY MORNING. Forester, Knoll, and CHINA COASTER, boy, 1 mile, 30 1.15.2, 1.51.2, 2.26; lust 1 34.3.

STANDARD DARLIA, Soth, 1 mile, 32.

may be delivered from the hands of 28.000 HAUL OF JEWELS FROM I

RAILWAY STATION.

MIDNIGHT MYSTERY OF TWO MEN

WITH TRUNKS. If the surmises of the police are correct, a gang of expert thieves have stolen jewellery valued at about £8,000 from a cloak room at New-street Station, Bir-

mingham, by means of a most ingenious One evening last month a representative of Messrs. S. Blanckensee and Sons, Ltd., manufacturing jewellers and silversmiths, Great Hampton street, and Frederick-street: Birmingham, arrived at New-street Station by a Midland-train from Bath. He carried with him three leather cases containing jewellery and deposited them at the cloak-room on No. 4 Platform, intending to call for them on the following morning. He was handed the usual ticket and left with an easy mind, the practice of depositing such cases in the custody of the railway com-

Next morning he called for his property in the ordinary course, but to his consternation the cloak-room attendants were unable to find one of the cases. A result, it was established beyond doubt that the case had disappeared.

TWO MYSTEROUS TRUNKS The police theory of the robbery is an extraordinary one, but there are circumstances that point to its accuracy. Shortly after the jeweller's traveller left the station two men deposited at the same cloak room two large wooden trunks. By a singular chance these boxes were placed in close proximity to the jewellery cases. Towards midnight the cloak room was locked up as usual for the night, but at an early hour on Savurday morning the two men called for the boxes, explaining that they wished to leave by an early train for London.

The clock room was accordingly opened and the two boxes removed. One appeared to be heavy, and the other was so easily carried as to suggest that it was almost, if not quite, empty. No suspicion was aroused until some hours later, when the jeweller's representative called for his cases. The visit. of the two men with the wooden boxes was at once recoiled, and it was at once suggested that there, wis some connection in the incident with the mysterious disappearance of the jeweller's case.

According to the view put forward by the police a member of a gang of thiever was concealed in one of the boxes, and when the room was closed he left him extraordinary hiding place, appropriated one of the leather cases, returned to the trunk and fastened himself inside again. Later his companions called for the trunks removing both their accomplices

and the booty, without exciting suspi-In spite of the enreful inquiries that have since been made by the police they have not been able to find the least trace of the thieves.

A similar robbery took place at Kingo Cross Station two years ago. It will be remembered, too, that the most sensational of the attempts to eatage made by Gerntan presentiant was a law to Light. Kochin, who in December 114 waveled in a box of from the fifterment camp at Dorchester to Gravesend where he was discovered.

WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

THE ISLAMIC REVOLT.

AGAINST THE TURKS.

commands of which he gave to his three

railway and destroyed the stations for

It is related that when Enver Pasha

EAST AFRICA CAMPAIGN.

ENEMY HEAVILY DEFEATED.

General Smuts reports that he heavily

defeated the enemy on the 24th inst. on

the Likigura River, 40 miles south of

Handeni, and captured numerous pri-

soners, including eleven Germans, and

also a pom-pom, machine-guns, rifles, and animunition. Our casualties were

four killed and 20 wounded. The

General Smuts added that the enemy.

REDUCED RATIONS FOR BRITISH

PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

In the House of Commons, Lord

official report showed that the Germans

prisoners at Rubleben to half the neces

sary amount. The Government had

exchange of British prisoners ut

Ruhleben for the same number of

German civilian prisoners in England.

If the Germans did not accept the

OF JOHORE.

Singapore: June 25.

Rome, June 26.

London, June 26.

and Burma (British), and the sailing- Nursing Service.

PRESENTS SQUADRON OF WAR

AEROPLANES.

of war-aeroplanes, costing £31,500.

ITALIANS SINK MUNITION-LADEN

STEAMERS

Last evening Italian units sank

5,000 and 3,000 tons at Durazzo,

SUBMARINE WARFARE.

The steamers Herault (French)

ships Gabrielle Dale and Saturnina

Fanny (Italian) have been sunk.

The Herault was sunk in the Medi-

terrangan. Of her crew 36 have been

landed. Five of the Burma's crew

TURCO-RUMANIAN COMMERCIAL

AGREEMENT.

BULGARIAN OBSTINACY.

Bulgarian obstinacy is continuing.

The closing of the Rumano-Bulgarian

frontier is creating a most unfavour-

GERMANY TRYING TO BORROW

Germany is trying to borrow large

sums from private peope in Holland

THE LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

MINIMUM PRICES TO BE

REMOVED.

The Stock Exchange announces

able impression in official circles.

BUKHAREST, June 26.

BUNNAREST, June 26.

AMSTERDAM, June 26.

LONDON: June 27.

are missing.

two munition-laden steamers

and returned without a casualty.

LONDON, June 27

" HINT OF REPRISALS.

enemy's, losses were severe.

LONDON, June 26.

had dragged Turkey to destruction.

THE BRITISH FRONT.

HOSTILE LINES PENETRATED AT * TEN POINTS.

LONDON, June 27. General Sir Douglas Haig reports in

creasing activity. There were a number of successful enterprises last night at different points on the front, and hostile lines were of The first army is besieging Medina, penetrated at ten different places. Our the second occupied Taif, taking parties inflicted considerable casualties. prisoners most of the garrison, and the on the enemy, and ours were every. third captured Jedda with the garrison, where of the slightest. The Munsters field-gurs, quick-firers, rifles and much and"" Anzaes" were particularly success- ammunition. There was much artillery activity The Grand Sherif's followers also cut in connection with these raids on both the telegraphs, uprooted the Hedjaz

Last evening and last night our artil- | 150 kilometres northward to prevent lery was most active against hostile the sending of reinforcements. trenches, which were considerably | visited Hedjaz; the Grand Sherif told damaged at many places. Our heavy him that he was an ignorant youth who artillery caused four large explosions in | the enemy rearward lines near Pozieres. "To-day our artillery was again active

at Summerous points, considerably Januaging hostile defensive works; notably at Longueral, Givenchy-en-Gohelle, north of Loos and the schient Wytschaete and east of

THE VERDUN REGION.

ANOTHER" ENEMY ATTACK FAILS.

PARIS, June 26. To-day's rommanded says :-- A. German attack west of Thiaumont completely failed before our curtain of fire bush, to the west of the river, were deprecating the nomination of a Pro-

trenches between Fumin. Wood and march assaulted his left flank and rear. Chenois Wood.

There was artillery activity elsewhere. particularly at Mort Homme. EULL CONTINUES.

Paris, June 27. A communique announces that the full at Verdun continues, with decreased artillery activity on both sides of the Meuse. For the first time for weeks. except at Hill 304, there has been no Robert Cecil said that an American infantry action to-day.

French artillery in Champagne wreck- | had reduced the food supplies of British ed enemy works at Ville-sur-Tourbe. Our batteries in the Vosges exploded two ammunition depots at Chapelotte. consequently proposed to Germany the

THE ITALIAN FRONT.

SUBSTANTIAL ADVANCE AND HEAVY ENEMY LOSSES.

ROME, June 26. MAGNIFICENT GIFT FROM SULTAN A communique shows that are milstantial advance has been made by the Italians from Vallarsa to Sette Communi. They are nearing the outskirts" of Arsiero, and have occupied the line formed by Mount Longara, Gallio, Asiago, Cesuna, and the mountains north-eastward and south westward

Along the whole front they found the Anemy's trenches full of corpses, besides guantities of arms, ammunition and

THE RUSSIAN FRONT.

FIGHTING ALONG THE ENTIRE FRONT.

Petrograd, June 26. A communiqué reports intense artillery tire on the Dvina front, the repulse of German offensives north of the Pripet marshes, a heavy bombardment in the porthern quadrant of the Lutsk salient. with local offensives in massed formation which were everywhere repulsed.

Southward of Buczacza the Cossacks forced the river; taking 350 prisoners. The progress in Bukovina continues, and we are approaching the Transylvania

> THE FIGHTING IN ASIATIC TURKEY

PETROGRAD, June 26. The Turks made repeated night attacks at Platana, in the Djivislik, region, and at Trebizond but were

In Mesopotamia the Turks stormed abandoned. sectors of the Russian position at Revanduza, but were ejected with the

A Turkish offensive in the Bagdad direction was easily stopped, the enemy

losing heavily.

MESOPOTAMIA MATTERS.

NO MORE DETAILS AT PRESENT.

LONDON, June 26, In the House of Commons, Mr. Tenment said that it was not desirable in the public interest to give further details regarding Mesopotamia at present. GENERAL TOWNSHEND'S

REPRESENTATIONS. Mr. Chamberlain stated in the House of Commons that he first Earned of Gouard Townshend's representations to

General Nixon from the Viceroy's telegrow of April 9th. The decision to despatch two divisions from France to the cassistance of that all the pemaining minimum General Townshend was taken on prices will be removed on Morda

UNITED STATES AND MEXICO.

"WAR YIRTUALLY CERTAIN."

Washington, June 20. The situation is very grave. Prosident Wilson yesterday conferred with the Leaders of Congress, and subsequently with Mr. Stone, Chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The opinion prevails that war is virtually certain.

THREE ARAB ARMIES OPERATING General Carranza said he is willing to accept the mediation of the South American Republics, but Mr. Lansing Cairo, June 26. holds, that there is nothing to It appears that the Grand Sherif of mediate upon. Mecca has raised three armies, the

SURVIVORS OF THE CARRIZAL FIGHT.

SAN ANTONIO, June 26.

AN AMERICAN CONSULATE DESTROYED.

London, June 20. upon Mexico, and is considering the members of the House. ' a

stoppage of imports.

sulate at Torreon.

AMERICAN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.

MR. ROOSEVELT DECLINES NOMINATION.

CHICAGO, June 26. Mr. Roosevelt has written who were in a strong position in a dense | finitely, declining nomination, a frontally attacked in the morning, while gressive candidate, adding that he We occupied parts of the enemy another column arriving after a night will strongly support Judge Hughes."

THE SHACKLETON EXPEDITION.

ATTEMPT TO RESCUE ELEPHANT ISLAND PARTY FAILS.

LONDON; June 27. that Sir Ernest Shaekleton has effect in Constantinople and Berlin of at Elephant Island.

PHIVATE LONSDALE.

AMSTERDAM, June 28. proposal this week we would consider . The Forwaerts denies the report steps regarding the rations of German | that " Private | Lonsdale has been civilian prisoners in England (Loud pardoned.

MILITARY HONOURS,

LONDON, June 27. A Gazette contains a list of honours as follows:--K. C. B.-Major-General Frederick

C.B.—Major General W. R. Marshall The Sultan of Johore has presented Colonels N. G. Woodyatt, S. F. Crocker, to the Imperial Government a squadron F. W. Gordon Hall, F. H. Cunliffe" Lieut. Colonels P. C. Palin, C. F. Murray, C. H. De Rougement, R. J. Maw-

hinny, H. H. Roddy. C.M.G .- Lieut. Colonels C. U. Price, O. K. Tancock; Major Andrew Sheen. D.S.O.—Licut. Colonel P. H. Pryor; Majors I. U. Battye, R F. Finlay Captains A. A. Beaman, W. B. Duillop, H. T. Skinner.

MILITARY CROSS.—Captains W. G. Ayseough, T. P. Banford, H. J. O'Neill, R. L. Sweeny, R. S. Townsend; Licuts. C. M. Malty, G. F. Shakespear; Second Lieurs. A. W. Blankferd, P. F. Durand, J. A. Ewart, D. H. Ferguson. ROYAL RED CROSS, Second-Class .-Miss A. R. Lowe, Queen Alexandra's

THE IRISH SITUATION. of

RESOLUTIONS BY IRISH PARTY.

LONDON, June 26. At Dublin a meeting of the Irish Party, under the Presidency of Mr. venr. John Redmond, passed a resolution, The idea of a Turco-Rumanian temporary exclusion, and stating that so called up are heavily hit and are vations on human nature within the Commercial Agreement has been they were looking to an early establish applying. These barristers commence ambit of their own experience. "How means to an end.

lease of interned persons who were not connected with the tising in Ireland.

OBITUARY.

RIGHT REV. B. BRINDLE, D.S.O.

London, June 27 The death is announced of the Right Rev. Robert Brindle, Roman Catholic Bishoy of Nottingham since

Chaplain. The D.S.O. conferred upon him for services in Egypt and the Souden including the battles of Athers and Khartoum. He held many medals and clasps, and was many times mentioned in doupaidles. He was 79 years of age !] FARE SANDWICH.

LONDON, June 26. The death, has occurred of the East of Sandwidth aged 37

NEWS FROM HOME.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LUNDON, May 27. LLOYD GEORGE AGAIN.

The selection of Mr. Lloyd George the unanimous decision the not without significance that Mr. Bal-Coalition colleagues, to undertake great task of negotiating for is Chancellor of Edinburgh University. settlement of the Irish question. certainly a great tribute to his influence as an adjuster of difficult problems. It" is only a week or two since the chief Liberal daily in London was levelling distribes at him, and still he pursues his even course of popularity and success. If he achieves his end in this Irish trouble, despite the everlasting

his political record. noon, and could not help being struck public in the "London Gazetie" last American Headquarters in Mexico Dublin disturbances. For there seemed reports that 38 participants in the to be a profusion of Irishmen, including fight at Carrizal have returned, M. Ps. in khaki. Captain William including a'Captain who was believed Archer Redmond, son of the Irish employs whose ages are between 19 and to be dead. There are now 15 Nationalist leader, was there, ready for 41, and must revise, it at least once a the call to rejoin his regiment at the month. Failure to comply with this front. - Besides this Captain Redmond, order will render him guilty of a sum-

prejudices that surround it, he will

indeed have placed the coping stone on

there were Captain William Redmond mary offence. (brother of the leader) Captain Stephen Gwynne, Captain Esmonde, and Captain Shechan, in addition to many America is tightening the screw Nationalists in khaki who are not Minister of Munitions, and in the case

Refugees who have arrived at the groups to be adjusted. If the Orange frontier report that a mob, led by a leaders would come out with Major, destroyed the American Con- statement of their readiness. accept Home Rule on terms, a great advance would have been accomplished. To go on with, Mr. J. L. Garvin, editor of the "Observer," who represents at least some of the Ulstermen, accepts Home Rule for a united Ireland as the Government Department. goal, though in the interim measure he! The list must be kept in a prescribed of Irish Nationalists by using the war to 18 and 41 as follows :--cheat them of the Homes Rule measure 1 .- Name and Initials which had already been placed on: the 2. Present address (if Re-Statute-book. Both Sir Edward Carson and Mr. John Redmond are in a very delicate position, but if the English Unionists make their voice heard they will create an Imperial public opinion before which fanatical irreconcilables

will have to bow.

This week's news from Mesopotamia has cheered us a great deal. The Russians and British are for the first The Daily Chronicle announces time fighting side by side, and the returned to Port Stanley after a this junction of forces must be very fruitless attempt to rescue the mem- great. As I write, in fact, there are bers of the expedition whom he left more persistent reports of peace being concluded before the year is out than at any time since hostilities started. These reports, persistent as they are, must be accepted with reserve, for the situation is far too complicated to allow of predictions. Nearly all the prophets have disappeared after igno-

minious failure to foresee events. Those of your renders who have recollections of the Thames steamboats which were run for a time by the London County Council, will be interested to hear that half a dozen of them have been used on the Tigris. Months ago it was decided that these aquat, fast little craft were just the thing for transport work on that river, so the pick of them were acquired and sent off to the event along the riverside. In each case the boats were sent out in charge of a. shipmaster, who contracted for the safe delivery of the vessel at her destination. follows One ship was commanded by Captain Percy "Hall, a deep sea commander whose brother went down with his ship, the P. and O. liner Persia, when that

vessel was torpedoed in the Mediter-Another of the L.C. Thames boats

was acquired for use by Scrbin some years ago and no doubt has done service during this war.

RELIEF APPLICATIONS.

Men called to the colours, or about to be, are invading the Post Offices and demending the forms on which they commitments, for adjudication by the during their service in respect to rent, mortgages, insurance, school fees, and so forth, up to a maximum of £104 a

Sixty barristers have been appointed with two dissentients, expressing deep to consider these appeals, and the gratitude at the self-secrifice of the indications are that they will have an Ulster Nationalists in consenting to enormous task for the majority of men proposals should be accepted as the best month, with an allowance of a pound a The same meeting also unanimously from home, plus travelling expenses passed a resolution demanding the re- and clerical assistance not exceeding two poinds per week

THE IMPORTANCE OF ENGINEERING. Sir James A. Ewing, Director of Naval Construction, has been appointed Principal and Vice-Chancellor of the Edinburgh University, to the surprise of those who have regarded the medical. school there as the chief department of its educational importance. But the new Principal's achievements have been in the sphere of engineering, and the appointment seems to show that in the [The deceased was formerly an Army | future we are to pay more attention to scientific research inits industrial aspects.

> SOMETHING DEPENDARLE TIARRHOEA is slways more or less prevalent during this weather. Be prepared for it blamber sin's Colic,

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LIST OF MEN OF MILITARY AGE TO BE KEPT. Employers in Great Britain have an important duty imposed upon them by a I was in the House the other after- Defence of the Realm Regulation made Every employer must prepare and post up a list of the male persons whom he

It may be the contemplation of the trade

war that is to follow the present war

has led to the appointment, in

view of the German attention to scientific industrialism. Sir James is, a

native of Dundee and is, 61 years old.

He has filled the chairs of engineering

at Tokio, University College, Dundee

and Cambridge, before being appointed

Director of Naval Construction. It is

four, First Lord of the Admiralty, is

IMPORTANT NEW DUTY FOR

HOME EMPLOYERS.

Exemptions are provided where an employer already keeps a register in compliance with the requirements of the of mines where employers have furnished Ulster' is the most theiturn of the lists to the colliery recruiting courts.

Every male of military age must furnish the necessary information to his employer, and the lists must be open at all reason. able hours for inspection by the competent naval or military authority or anyona authorised by him, or by a police constable, or by any person authorised by a

would make the largest concessions to form, at the head of which must be given the fears of Ulster. He says plainly the name and address of the employer. that it would be politically base to re- There are several particulars to be filled ward the loyalty of the vast majority up in respect of male employees between

gistered under the National Registration Act at that Address insert (R) in col. 2a)......

2n.—Insert M. if married or a widower with all dependent child Insert S if single or a widower without a de-

pendant child -Date of engagement by present employer 6.—Employed as a

7.—If in possession of any document entitling him to exemption from military service, state nature of document. It attested insert (A)

JAPANESE COTTON SPINNING MILLS.

in Col. 7a

INCREASED DIVIDENDS

A Japanese contemporary says appears that all the spinning mill com-panies, except the Kanegafuchi Spinning Mill Co., have settled and finished Persian Gulf. Nothing was said about their accounts for the first half of the their departure in the public press, for business year and practically all the obvious censons, though it was quite an mills have decided to pay larger dividends for the term. The decisions of the boards of directors for the payment of dividends for the term under discussion, compared with the previous term are as

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Temma	0 12
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Not only have the mills decided to relief commissioners who will decide on pay increased dividends, but they are whether or not to "recommend that also in a position to carry over sums relief should be granted to their families | larger than the dividends to the next

Increased profits are expected next term. The demand in India and China for cotton yarn is expected to be stronger and Cotton is on the down grade now.

Two ladies were exchanging obserment of an united, self-governed nation; work next Monday, their remuneration marriage changes a man," said one, in & also declaring that Mr. Lloyd George's being at the rate of 25 guineas per reverie. "Doesn't it?" acquiesced her offer me a penny for my thoughts, and night when the duty calls them away now he often offers me a sovereign to

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The Regular Army is increased from impossible to give exact figures and, in order to provide a second line army, the National Guard, or States Militia, is to he subsidized and increased to about 450,000 men. There are also various provisions for better facilities for training officers and for volunteer camps, etc.

The Bill, which presumably the President will sign, has elicited a chorus of expert criticism. It is considered altogether inadequate and is condemned as a compromise of politicians who dislike the idea of military preparedness, but dare not put themselves entirely athwart 4 the slowly rising sentiment in its favour, ing conclusions :-The Militia provision is regarded as virtually useless. It is deemed most unlikely that recruits will be forthcoming, ind it is pointed out that nothing has been done to assure any improvement in ita discipline and effectiveness—a criticism which has force in view of General Eunston's complaint about the slowness, and incomplete formations of the Militia which was called out to help him on the Mexican border. It is expected that the Regular Army will also be handicapped by recruiting difficulties. Some months ago Congress authorized the immediate recruitment of 20,000 men to strengthen the existing army for Mexico. Less than 7,000 recruits have so far been

The Navy Bill is still in embryo. Its however, are not altogether hopeless.

WAGES IN CHINA.

Wages are very low indeed in China, just as they are in all countries that are cursed with a ruling caste. History shows that as a nation acquires freedom the prosperity of its working classes increases, and with it their earning power and spending ability. This means again that the internal trade of the country is largely increased, as well as the value of its exports and imports. Wages are highest in the United States of North America, where freedom amounts almost to licence: they are lowest in those countries where oppression is greatest. The

history of Japan, since the overthrow of the Shogun's Government, is strikingly instructive. Before that time, and for: long after, wages were almost infinitesimal compared with those of Enro- Cox's masterpiece, "The Vale of Clwyd pean and American working classes. North Wales," and Landscer's "The Wages are not high in Japan to-day, i Monarch of the Glen." compared with Europe or America, but I they are very much higher than in the guineas and rapidly went to 4,000. Then; Shogun's time, and they are steadily by hundreds, 4,600 guineas was reached, the working classes in Japan is steadily. Mr. Robson. The late Mr. Barratt paid rising, and their purchasing power is 4,500 guiness for it at Murietta's sale in increasing in approximately the same proportion. America, where the wages The contest for Landseer's famous are highest, is the best customer to other picture was disappointing to many peocountries of all those that import at all | ple, who thought that the price would and it is not the fashionable four hun- be in the neighbourhood of £10,000. dred, nor even the four thousand who However, there seemed to be only two of working men and women which form and for 5,000 guines the "Monarch" the major portion of its 100 million went to enrich Sir Thomas Dewars inhabitants who are the principal pur- collection. chasers. Similarly, the better the the freedom its people achieve, the lit was refused as a gift by the Royal of its working alaccer. of its working classes, the greater Commissioners for decorating the House will be their spending power, and of Lords after it had been exhibited at the larger will be their demand for the Royal Academy Exhibition of 1851.

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PIPES IN THE TROPICS.

All pipe-smokers must have found that in a Rongkong summer a pipe loses its churn, and must have wondered why This question has now been investigated. and the results published in the Lancet by Dr Gilbert Brooke of Singapore. He used the following ap-

Daratus :-paper—the Bill is so drawn that it is mouthpiece; one month old; bowl not (2) A small-sized calabash pipe; re-

movable inner bowl of meerschaum: vulcanite mouthpiece; two months old (3) Each pipe artificially smoked to

the very end by the use of a rubber tuber and a gas-pump, simulating normal con-Bulb'of a centigrade thermometer

the rubber tube at lin. from the opening of the mouth piece and direct continuous obrervation taken. (3) The pipes allowed to get quite .cool between each experiment

(6) Only well-known tobaccon used. Dr Brooke thus arrived at the follow (1) Moist tobacco gives hotter smoke

(2) Fine tobacco gives markedly hotter moke than does coarse cut tobacco. (3) Smoke from a briar is very considerably botter in the tropics than in cold climates, especially with fine cut

(4) Smoke from a briar is always hotterthan the breath temperature, although with a coarse tobacco on a cold winter day the difference of temperature would

(5) Variations in air temperature or in the type of tobacco used have comparatively slight effect on the tempera-ture of the calabash smoke—the latter being always cooler than the temperacure of the breath. (6) According to the tobacco used a

talabash gives smoke which is 14 to 24 degrees cooler than a brian. (7) A course-cut tobacco, dry, and smoked in a calabash pipe would seem to be the acme of "cool" pipe smoking. On the whole the verdict is dead against the brur.

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Christie's great auction-room was crowded to the doors, and, as one patron remarked, there was "no breathing space" when the Barratt art collection came under the hamer on May 11th.

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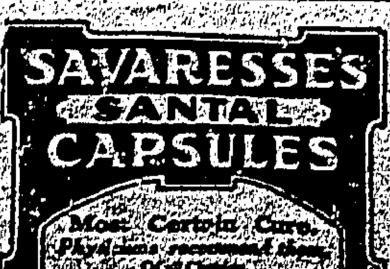
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ARRIVALS.

Yatshing, British steamer, 1,244, R. J. ONE FLAT of FOUR ROOMS over LAnderson, Calcutta June 11, General. Brisbane, British str., 718, E. E. Mac-Sillar, Bangkok June 16, Rice and Meal.

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DEPARTURES.

June 28. Kirin Maru, for Shanghai and Kobe. Moresby, for Saigon. Taisha Maru, for Canton.

CLEARED. Borneo Maru, for Moji. Tosa Maru, for Singapore and Calcutta.

PASSENGERS.

Per Fatshing: from Calcutta, &c., Mr Per Atreus, from Glasgow, &c., Capt. Trowbridge, Dr. Hassard, Mr. Haley, Mr.

Campbell Per Amakusa Maru, from Keelung, &c., Mr James Scott.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Brisbane from Bangkok reports: Fresh monsoon and fine weather throughout.

PASSENGERS EXPECTED.

Per Hitachi Maru, from London May 20th, Mrs L. Brazier, Master Brazier, Miss L. Rickards, Miss C. M. Saxild, Mr J. R. Carton.

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IN RADIO-TELEGRAPH COMMUNICATION.

Ships in communication with Cape D'Aguillar Radio Telegraph Station :-Atsuta Maru . Monteagle Sado Maru Algerna.

INWARD MAILS.

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Siberian Mail—Fer an Montengle, London May 30, due June 29, SIBERIAN MATL—Fer. s. s. Nyanza, London June 4, due June 29. Australia-Per'ss. Eastern, July 3.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are sus-

Correspondence addressed to enemy subjects in China, Siam; Liberia, Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Morocco cannot be transmitted.

Mails will close for:-HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.

Per Lokiano, at 7 a.m., on Thursday, the 29th June. Per Castlefield, at 8 a.m., on Thursday,

the 29th June. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Per Ivion, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 29th June. *JAPAN Via *KOBE.

Per Yatshing, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 29th June. SWATOW & *BANGKOK. " Per Halvard, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 20th June.

SHANGHAI, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN Via NAGASAKI. HONOLULU, *UNITED STATES, *SOUTH AMERICA & CANADA, Via SAN FRANCISCO.

(Europe via Siberia). Per China. Registration at 11.15 a.m. Letters at noon, on Thursday, the 29th June. [Shanghai Brit. P.O., Monday, 3rd July.] shanghai & nobth china.

(Europe via Siberia). Per Shantung. Registration at 2.15 p.m. Letters at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 29th June. [Shanghai Brit. P.O., Monday, 3rd July.] *JAPAN Via *MOII. Per Kumakata Maru, at 10 s.m., on

Friday, the 30th June. STRAITS, BURMAH, CEYLON, ADE-LAIDE, WESTERN AUSTRALIA. INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT & EUROPE. Per Nyanza. Registration at 10.15 a.m. Letters at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 30th June.

The Parcel Mail will be closed on Thursday, the 29th June, at 5 p.m. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Per Haiching, at 1 p.m., on Friday, the 30th June.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Per Loongsang, at 2 p.m., on Friday, the 30th June. Per Chakrata, at 3 p.m., on Friday, the 30th June.

KEELUNG, SHANGHAL, NORTH CHINA, JAPAN VIA MOJI, VIC-TORIA, B.C., VANCOUVER & NITED KINGDOM CANADA. (Europe via Siberia.) Per Monteagle. Registration at 5 p.m.;

on Friday, the 30th June. Letters On Londonat 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 1st [Shanghai British P.O., Saturday, 8th July.] SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. Per Yingchow, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 1st July.

TIENTSIN. Per Kucichow, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, the 1st July. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, SANDARAN, *MACASSAR. *SOURABAYA, *SAMARANG, *BATAVIA & *STRAITS... Per Nittaka Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sun day, the 2nd July. SWATOW, AMOY & FORMOSA VI REELUNG. Per Amakusa Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sanday, the 2nd July.

HAIPHONG. Per Kaifong, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the 4th July. SWATOW. AMOY & FOUCEOW. Per Haitan, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the 4th July. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the SWATOW. AMOY & FORMOSA VI TAKAO. Per Soshu Maru, at 8 a.m., on Wednes day, the 5th July. HAIPHONG.

Per Sungkiang, at 9 a.m., on Thursday,

the 8th July. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, JAPAN VI NAGASAKI, HONOLULU, *CANADA; *United States & *South AMERICA VI- SAN FRANCISCO. Per Perna Mary. Registration at p.m., on Saturday, the 7th July.

Letters at 9.30 a.m., on Sunday

the 8th July. WOHOOO & YOMA, WOTAWE Per Has Hong, at 1 p.m., on Friday, in the 7th July 18 18 18 19 PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, FURMOS Via REELUNG. JAPAN VIA NAGA BARL VICTORIA, VANCOUVER, UNITED STATES & SOUTH

AMERICA. Per Hawaii Maru, at 1 p.m., on Monday, the 10th July. ILIPPINE ISLANDS, AUSTRALIA. TASMANIA. NEW ZEALAND & NEW GUINEA-IL TORT DARWIN! Per Chemina. Registration at 10.15 a.m. Letters at 11 ain., on Thurst

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 28th at 11.23.—The Japanese depression has All up. The Chinese depression is now central over the Gulf

Pressure has increased slightly ever Japan, and moderately along the east coast of China. It is nearly stationary in southern districts.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 s.m. to-day, 0.03; inches. Total since January 1st, 55.15 inches, against an average of 37.89 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at

1.-Hongkong to Gap Rock : S.W. winds, fresh to moderate, squally; fair to showery. Formoss Channel: The same a

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OFFICIAL MIGHTS IN JUNE.

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STEAMERS EXPECTED. Mails.

The P. & O.S. N. Co.'s s.s. Nyania left Shanghai for this port on the 26th instant at 11.15 a.m. with the homeward English Mails, and is due here on the 29th instant at about

Other Versels. The O. S. K. Co.'s s.s. Saigon Maru left M. Moji for this port on 23rd inst. with the Japan Mail, and is due here on the 28th inst. at about p.m.

The Toyo Kisen Kaisha s.s. Kwanto Maru arrived at Yokohama on 22nd June, will leave there for Hongkong on June 25, and is due here on or about 8th July.

Latest Advices. The Toyo Kisen Kaisha's a.s. Kiyo Maru left Moji for this port on Tuesday, the 27th inst. at daylight with the S.A. & U.S. Mails, and is due here on Saturday, the 1st July. The Toyo Kisen Kaisha Co.'s s.s. Dairen

Maru arrived at Yokohama on Tuesday, the 27th inst. and left there for San Francisco, where she is due on 27th July The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Nankin-left Singapore for this port on the 28th instant, a.m., with the outward

EXCHANGE.

3rd July, at about 8 a.m.

Hongkong, June 28, 1918. Bank Wire On demand, 30 days' sight 4 months sight, ... 2/1 7/16 Credits, 4 months' sight, ...2/17
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On New York-On Bombay-Wire, ... On demand. On Calcutta-Wire, ... On demand On Singapore-On demand On Mania— On Shanghai-

On Yokohama— Or demand. Silver (per oz.)

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Rate of Native Interest ... 6 % p.s.

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Hongkong Sub. Coin 2 % dis

HONGKONG TIDES The tide table given below has been compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office Houghory Ices 25 \$170 in London from the result of the analysis !

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